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AD HOC REQUIREMENTS COMMITTEE ON PROJECT AQUATONE (ARC)

Minutes of Meeting Held in Room 328

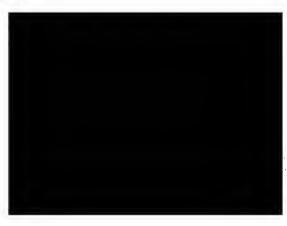
Administration Building, Central Intelligence Agency
at 2:30 p.m., 13 March 1957

James Q. Reber Chairman

PRESENT

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Col. William A. Dodde, OACSI
Major J. P. Ruppert, OACSI
Capt. George M. Clifford, ONI
Comdr. J. M. Larsen, ONI
Major Donald Conroy, USMC
Col. James H. Macia, Jr., AFCIN
Mr. Paul J. Nelson, AFCIN
Major Robert J. Coursey, AFCIN



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Requirements for the C Configuration

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- 1. The Project Intelligence Officer, indicated that the C configuration was expected to be operational about 1 June 1957 and that it would be helpful to Operations to have requirements for the use of the C configuration by 15 May 1957.
- 2. It was the wish of the Committee that prior to attempting to develop requirements for this configuration there should be a briefing indicating its capabilities; otherwise, the requirements could not be meaningful. The Chairman requested the representative from HTAUTOMAT to be in touch with the office of Operations to arrange for securing illustrative materials at such time as Operations believed that it had completed the testing program and to arrange for a briefing on the capabilities of the C configuration for those interested in the community much as had been earlier presented.

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3. The Air Force representative, Colonel Macconsideration of the Committee such amendment of the second second would be required in the new situation in Colonel Macia outlined the probable greated in the theatre than is the case of materials thus far a for the command there. He also indicated problems distances involved if indeed there were to be no a draft cover memorandum which would outline considerations.		the SOP for and and in the Far East for a possible ater need of Far East materials schieved in the European theatre of delay arising from the greater He agreed also to prepare	
The same and the s	4. The Chairman stated that as soon as he received Colonel Macia appears and discussed them preliminarily with the Air Force they would be presented for the views of the Ad Hoc Requirements Committee. He emphasized that at this time our approach is not one of having decided an ought to be established but		
	rather exploring whether it would be wise,	25X1A	
	Prints for the Navy European CINCs from	25X1A	
A	prior to dispatch of the original negative to the ZI. After some Chairman suggested that the Air Force insure that the commanis entirely clear on the needs for service and delivery of mater	of theatre CINCs discussion, the	
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	6. The Air Force representative, Colonel Macia, agreed to look into the Navy's complaint with regard to the failure of the centers to issue an TS NOFORN to the theatre CINCs as is permitted by the SOP.		
	High Priority Target List	25X1A	
1A	7. The corrections to the latest draft on the Western US registered with the latest of HTAUTOMAT who will now process to the latest draft on the Western US.		

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8. A redraft will be made on the basis of corrections on the Far East high

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9. Final action on the Satellite high priority list was postponed pending further study and clarification as to the criteria which would guide the selection of targets for the Satellites. The Chairman said that he would, as a step toward meeting the views of the Committee, prepare for the next meeting a draft of a transmittal memorandum.

> JAMES Q. REBER Chairman

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